

Merry Christmas

We take the opportunity offered by the Holiday Season to thank you for your good will and favors during the time our store has been open, and wish you and yours a Joyous Holiday Season and a most Prosperous New Year.

Renn & Barnes

J. W. BARNES, Mgr.

(For your convenience this store will be open Friday evening, December 24).

Lomita

California

Lest We Forget

While you are listing your Xmas selections—take a moment's thought for those whose Xmas joys are not as bright as yours. Perhaps the past year has been a prosperous one for you—it also has for us—We thank you for your patronage—you are responsible for the business rush now being enjoyed by this store. Those of you who knew this store three months ago and know it today, need no further comment—and now in our hour of holiday rush we turn for the moment to ask you to assist us in distributing a few baskets of Xmas necessities on Xmas Eve to gladden the Yuletide for some neighbor whose blood may be as red as your blood or our blood and whose heart may be even bigger than your heart or our heart, but whose home, owing to sickness or misfortune within, is scheduled to be overlooked by the real Santa on Xmas morn.

This store has set aside

TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS

to be spent in supplying Xmas Baskets of Groceries, Wearing Apparel, etc. We want real live names supplied by you, if you are a neighbor and we do not want names duplicated by or already reported to local church, lodge or other charitable institutions.

If You Know Where a XMAS BASKET Can Be Used

THE HUB

Redondo Beach—The Store Where "DUFFYHASIT" Will Thank You for the Information

LOCAL TIME SCHEDULE

The Redondo San Pedro

STAGE LINE

Operating Between Redondo Beach and San Pedro Via Lomita and Torrance Effective 12 O'clock Midnight, Sunday, Dec. 12, 1920

LEAVE	Lomita	Torrance	ARRIVE
San Pedro			Redondo
A. M. 5:50	6:05	6:12	6:32
6:50	7:12	7:19	7:41
8:00	8:22	8:29	8:46
9:00	9:22	9:29	9:46
10:00	10:22	10:29	10:46
11:00	11:22	11:29	11:46
12:00	12:22	12:29	12:46
P. M. 1:00	1:22	1:29	1:46
2:00	2:22	2:29	2:46
3:00	3:22	3:29	3:46
4:15	4:37	4:44	5:01
5:20	5:42	5:49	6:06
6:15	6:37	6:44	7:01
8:10	8:32	8:39	8:56
10:00	10:22	10:29	10:46
LEAVE	Torrance	Lomita	ARRIVE
Redondo		San Pedro	
A. M. 5:50	6:07	6:14	6:36
6:35	6:52	6:59	7:21
8:05	8:22	8:27	8:49
9:05	9:22	9:27	9:49
10:05	10:22	10:27	10:49
11:05	11:22	11:27	11:49
P. M. 12:05	12:22	12:27	12:49
1:05	1:22	1:27	1:49
2:05	2:22	2:27	2:49
3:05	3:22	3:27	3:49
4:10	4:27	4:34	4:56
5:10	5:27	5:34	5:56
6:15	6:32	6:39	7:01
7:15	7:32	7:39	8:01
9:15	9:32	9:39	10:01
11:00	11:17	*11:24	*11:46

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500 YARDS OF CONCRETE POURED DAILY ON NEW TRUCK BOULEVARD

According to Supervisor R. F. McClellan, work is progressing rapidly on the new truck boulevard that is being built between Los Angeles and the harbor.

Five hundred yards of concrete are being poured daily now, on the second section of the new thoroughfare, between Stauson and Compton.

The third and final link, it is hoped will be completed within a year and, as far as the county is concerned, the highway needs of the business interests of the community will have been met. It remains for the city to do its part in the project and continue the road into the business district and to water's edge in the harbor.

The new trade artery can well be called one of the best roads in the world. It is costing more than \$50,000 a mile. It is twenty-four feet wide. It has a subbase six inches thick of rolled disintegrated granite. On this subbase a top layer of concrete eight inches thick is laid. And into this concrete are placed three-eighths inch steel bars as reinforcement. Twelve pounds of steel to each lineal foot of road are used.

The complete link passes through Compton. It is 2.44 miles long and cost 102,000. The link now under construction reaches from the junction at Alameda street and Stauson avenue almost due south to Burton avenue, just north of Compton. It is 5.097 miles long. Its cost will be about \$270,000.

The third link will be from the southern end of the Compton portion south to Weston street, the northern boundary of Wilmington—5.74 miles. The estimated cost of this is \$400,000.

It is planned to continue this road into Wilmington as far as Anaheim street, where laterals will be connecting it with both the Main street and the Long Beach boulevards. Eventually the new boulevard is to be taken, by means of drawbridges, clear to Terminal Island.

Into the city proper the council will be asked to prolong the road with the same type of construction north on Alameda street to the wholesale district.

HARDING AND THE NATIONS

President-elect Harding has early justified the faith placed in him, by the sincere friends of a League of Nations. The conferences held at Marion indicate that he is much deeply interested in the formation of an association to promote and preserve world peace than in purely partisan politics. His first act has been an attempt to make the discussion of an international association patriotic and humanitarian, wholly removed from party politics. Among those whom he is receiving are some of the best-known Democrats of the country. He asks for their co-operation, not seeking to create a Harding League or a Republican League or an American League; and he seeks to divest the movement of all appearance of personal or party interest.

Following his conference with the President-elect, Mr. Bryan said:

"I find myself pretty much as one with Senator Harding in both politics and religion. I believe he is not only an honest and conscientious man, but one whose whole purpose is to do what is best for the American people."

U. S. BATTLE FLEET 104 SHIPS IN THE PACIFIC

When the combined fleets of the Atlantic and Pacific assemble off the coast of Central America for their joint maneuvers next month they will comprise the greatest naval force ever concentrated in the Pacific Ocean. One hundred and four modern war vessels and twenty-two seaplanes will participate.

Though the sailing date of the fleet set, it was learned yesterday that the warships will depart from here about January 14.

The designation of the combined fleets, which will operate under Admiral Wilson the commander-in-chief of the Atlantic Fleet, will be "The United States Battle Fleet." After the two fleets meet in Panama Bay they will sail to a point midway between Callao and Valparaiso for the battle maneuvers.

The vessels designated to make the cruise consist of fifteen dreadnaughts, thirty-eight destroyers, twelve submarines, six tenders, two mine layers, two mine sweepers, six flagships for the destroyer, submarine and air forces and the fleet trains, and twenty-five vessels for the fleet trains.

HOARD HELD UP ON NIGGER SLOUGH: LOSES SUM OF \$50

G. D. Hoard reported to Deputy Sheriff Bell, Los Angeles, Tuesday that he had been held up on the Harbor Boulevard near Nigger Slough by a man armed with a revolver, clad in a soldier's uniform and riding on a motor-cycle with a side car attached. The bandit robbed Mr. Hoard of \$50 it was reported, and then fled toward Los Angeles.

"Speak gently to the erring—know How frail are all! How vain! Perchance unkindness made them so, Oh, Win them back again,

Speak gently! 'Tis a little thing, Dropped in the heart's deep well, The good, the joy, which it brings, Eternity shall tell."

"This above all, to thine ownself be true, And it must follow, as the night the day, Thou canst not then be false to any man."

Patronize the Rio Tan Soda Fountain, Torrance.—Adv.

GREETINGS

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Merry Christmas

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Friday Night—Dark.

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